The Utah Communications Authority

Solicitation of letters of interest for Technical Advisory Committee Membership

Letters of interest must be submitted by **June 1, 2016**

Background

The Utah State Legislature amended UCA 63H, the Utah Communications Authority (hereafter "UCA"), by adopting House Bill 380, which created Technical Advisory Committees to assist the UCA board in the assessment of public safety communication needs and the development of strategic plans.

Ideally, the membership of the Technical Advisory Committees will have a diverse and balanced expertise representing a variety of interests, viewpoints and backgrounds. The UCA Board will appoint no fewer than ten (10) committee members. House Bill 380 listed several qualifications of potential committee members as follows:

- Knowledge of highly technical communications networks including the operation of the systems and the technical specifications of the systems' components.
- Experience with communications network planning, including the development of new systems and the expansion of existing systems.
- Knowledge of microwave and fiber optics based communications systems and how the communications systems integrate across carrier circuits.
- A strong understanding of the public safety radio system and experience with level of service agreements for telecommunications.
- A strong understanding of the 911 systems and experience with level of service agreements for telecommunications.

How to Apply

Interested individuals must submit a letter of interest and a detailed resume describing his or her interest, reasons for application and qualifications. Each applicant must declare any potential conflicts of interest. A stated potential conflict of interest will not disqualify an interested applicant.

*Please note which Committee you are interested in: 911, Radio or Interoperability.

The final day of the application period is June 1, 2016 by the close of business.

Applications should be sent by e-mail to UCA Interim Director Jake Hunt, jhunt@UCA911.org For more information, please contact Mr. Hunt by email.

Thank you,

Tina Mathieu, UCA Board Chair